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Docket No.
2165 (GP-03-8)

In Re Application Of: **Bruce R. Smith et al.**

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Application No. 09/453,498	Filing Date December 9, 1999	Examiner E. Kim	Customer No. 40256	Group Art Unit 3721	Confirmation No.
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Invention: **FOOD SERVING PAPERBOARD CONTAINER PRESSING APPARATUS EMPLOYING CAST-IN ELECTRICAL HEATERS**

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Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated **August 2, 2004** finally rejecting Claim(s) **1-21 and 23-26**.

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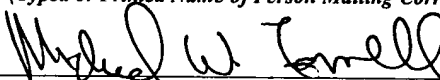
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